Sunday 17th Oct 2020
29th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Grant that in your glory we may sit one at your right and the other at your left

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Sunday Masses

Vigil: 6 pm; Sunday 9.30 and 11 am.

Weekday Masses: 9.30 am

Sunday Mass and weekday Masses are live streamed.

Go to the website for the link : www.olsg.org.uk

The novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Mondays at 7 pm.

Friday afternoon rosary: 1.30 pm

The church is open for private prayer 1.30 to 2.30 pm, and 6pm to 7 pm Monday to Friday, with individual Confessions being available Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday around 6.15 pm. Silence in the church is observed since loud talking disturbs those who have come along for private prayer.

Baptism: The Church welcomes adults and children who wish union with the Lord in his victory over evil and death and who wish to participate in the life of the parish.

Sacrament of the Sick: The Anointing of the Sick is for those whose health is seriously impaired by sickness or old age.

Marriage: For baptised Catholics marriages are to be solemnised by God's blessing.

May they rest in peace We are asked to pray for those who have died recently: Paul Rhodes, (Funeral Mass to be arranged), John McInnes (Vigil on Friday 22nd October at 6.30 prior to funeral Mass in Eriskay), Gerald Stewart McLaughlin, Margaret Miller (Funeral Mass Monday 18 October at 9.30 am), Denis McAuley (Funeral Mass Thursday 21st October at 9.30 am), Teresa McKeown, Violet Gray, Marie Cowie, Sean McKenna, Mgr Peter Smith, Mr Anton Jones Sinarayer; for those whose anniversaries occur about now: Tommy and Annie Kearns, Nan Toner, Tommy Watson, Joe Merson, John McLeod, Alfie Wright, Hugh Collum, William Cruickshanks, Jack Foley and Jane Wright (6 months).

Pray for those who are ill: for the sick at home, in hospital, in nursing homes. Prayers are requested for: Ellen Collum, Robert Carroll, Eileen McLean, *(Permission from the person who is ill is required before insertion in the bulletin. Add the name to the list in the link corridor each week.)*

World Mission Sunday is next Sunday, 24th October.

The month of October A plenary indulgence can be obtained for the recitation of the rosary in church, with family, or in a pious association.

Donation of Flowers. Many thanks for the donation of flowers from the McLaughlin family to mark the funeral Mass for the late Gerald McLaughlin.

The Scottish Catholic magazine: 10 free copies arrive this weekend. In two weeks time we expect more and will be priced at £2.

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you. A BIG thank you to everyone who came along to our first Parish Dance since lockdown. It was a great night and everyone appeared to enjoy themselves. Next dance will be on 6th November 2021. Further details next week.

Fabric and Finance Letter to Gift Aiders. *We, the members of the Fabric and Finance group, wish to thank you on behalf of the parish for your financial contributions and for your willingness to take the trouble of using the Gift Aid Scheme. As a result the parish benefits twice a year to the tune of over £6,000 given by the Inland Revenue, God bless them for this anyway!*

We will soon be in the process of having a new boiler installed at a cost of over £20,000. We would have liked to have installed a more eco-friendly system but our system does not lend itself to this just now.

Our accounts are healthy just now and we are considering future developments that will reduce our carbon footprint, such as solar panels and possible use of ground heat pumps.

We thank you for your support and, if your circumstances permit, your continued support.

We thank you also for your contributions to the life of the parish, whether it is by participation in the Sunday Eucharist, your private prayers, or involvement in parish activities.

Special thanks to Alec Buik and all who handle the money.

Fr Joe, Kathleen McGowan, John Graham and Paul McBride.

Finances Thanks to all who contribute to the parish upkeep. £1317 was taken up last weekend (9/10th October) at the Masses, a further £78 was handed in as donations also for the parish upkeep, and £15 for the parish renovations. £360 was also received for the flowers and candles of the Forty Hours. Standing orders and other bank donations are also most gratefully received.

Thanks to those who take up the collection these days, men and women and people of different nationalities to reflect the universality (catholicity) of the Church.

SOUTH SIDE FOOD BANK

Sadly the extra £20 per week for those on Universal Credit has now been taken away by the Government.

This of course means that more people than ever will be needing to use the foodbanks.

Please support foodbanks in any way you can.

Thank you

Taize Prayer vigil: 11th November 2021, in St Aloysius, Garnethill at 7pm. There are also many other Taize events in the lead up to COP26, please check out www.taize.fr/glasgow
COP26 Taize Evening Prayer: Monday 8th November at 7pm at the Immaculate Conception, Maryhill, G20 0AA (followed by supper in the church hall)

Pilgrim Path Website of the Week. **Original Goodness**

"Original goodness is our first nature, it is the first gift of life to all. Original sin is our second nature, not original at all! Read the birth poem in the first chapter of the Bible. It's all about the divine goodness in which the world is set. Each day of creation in the poem is good. Light is good. Dark is good. Sea is good. Wild things are good. Every living thing that moves on the face of the earth is very good." These words are from an uplifting, engaging and deeply human talk by the late David Wood, Anglican priest from the Northwest of England and ambassador for the ecumenical Christian meditation movement. Listen to his series of inspiring short talks at **www.newpilgrimpath.ie**.

Annual Torchlight Procession on the 54th anniversary of the Abortion Act: Thursday 28th October, gathering at George Square, Glasgow, with Rosary at 6.30pm, followed by the Procession at 7.00pm. Mass will be held in St Andrew's Cathedral at 7.30pm. The Celebrant will be Fr Ryan Black.

Monthly Pro-Life Mass: Wednesday 20th October at 7.30pm at Holy Cross, 113 Dixon Ave, G42 8ER. The celebrant with be Fr Charles Coyle. Adoration begins at 6.15pm. All welcome!